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Another Sale of Skirts. Suits and Waists, Cash or Credit.

Makers of Suits, Skirts and Waists have been awfully misbuying of many retail merchants (material to match waist. in gathering their spring stocks, and now they are overstocked with garments, embodying their most charming ideas and im-

We were offered them at from a third to half price, and we've bought them-and offer them to you at the same ratio of saving we get.

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Liner-colored Figured and Striped Duck Suits-Navy Blue Duck Suits, with white polks dots-and White Figured Duck Suits -all with extra wide skirts, blazer jack-cts, with large bishop sleeves, full rip-ple back, broad revers. Worth \$2 to \$4-for

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Linen-colored Duck Suits, trimmed with wide lace inserting, and worth \$3.50-for \$1.98 each.

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Cream and White Pique and White Duck Suits, with wide skirt and blazer jecket, with full ripple back, extra large sleeves and perfect fitting. Worth \$4-for \$1.49 each. .

Fine Black Serge and Black Brilliantine Suits-trimmed with 4 rows ribbon and small smoked pearl buttons. Worth \$11— for

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50c. each. Best All-linen Crash Skirts. Worth \$1.60 each.

White Duck and White Pique Skirts. Worth \$2 to \$3-for 99c. each.

All-wool Serge, Black Brilliantine, Fig-ared Brilliantine and Crepon Skirts, Worth

\$2.29 each. Black and White Shepherd Check English Chevlot, Fancy Mixed Cheviot and Fine Black Silk Brilliantine Skirts. Worth \$10-for

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Fine Lawn and Batiste Shirtwaists— large sleeves, well made—waists which sold for 75c, early in the season—for 20c. each.

Linen-striped Lawn Shirtwalsts, with white detachable collars—in plain and mixed colors. Worth \$2—for 79c. each.

Women's Fine Merrimac Percale Wrap-pers, extra wide skirts, Watteau back, loose front. Worth up to \$1-for 39c. each.

Striped Lines Lawn and Fine Batiste Wrappers and Tea Gowns. Worth up to \$2.50-for 98c. each.

9c. for Boys' Duck Knee Pants.

21c. for Boys' Wool Knee Pants. Worth 50c. pair. Sizes 5 to 15 years. 90c. for lot of Boys' Wash Duck Suits, which are worth no less than \$2.50. HECHT & COMPANY. it 515 Seventh Street.

LOTS OF BABIES Suffer from red, itching skin, chafing and prickly heat. Wise mothers use EVANS' TALCUM POWDER because it always cures-10c. a box, Plain or perfumed. Plain or perfumed. Evans' Drug Store, 938 F St. Wtolesale

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Palais Royal.

Monday's Sale.

Monday commences the last week of the special sales, prior to Stock-Taking. Final reductions in prices in all departments.

Special attention is asked to the tailor-made skirts and faultless fitting shirt waists. In many instances the prices asked are less than dressmakers charge for making.

Tailor-Made Skirts.

\$1.77 for the \$2.48 Black Figured | \$8.98 for the \$10.98 Skirts for Mohair Skirts, 41 yards wide, lined tourists. Made of English cloths. throughout. Isn't \$1.77 less than a light in weight and color but wear dressmaker will charge you for mak- resisting and dust defying. ing alone?

and they have the tailor-made appearance you haven't seen elsewhere mirrors show you its perfect grace. in \$1 skirts.

\$3.69 for the \$4 Black Mohair Skirts. It is a puzzle how such superior material can be put in a 5‡ wide skirt for \$4, especially when you count cost of lining, velvet bind- Linen Skirts, made over drop skirt, ing and making.

\$4.98 for the \$6.98 Cloth Skirts, in tan and blue mixtures of wool and silk and wool.

\$5.98 for the \$7.50 Skirts of best med with fancy buttons. English storm serge, tourist suiting, and the ultra fashionable black sicilian. These skirts measure six

\$6.98 for the \$10.98 Water Proof

\$9.98 for the \$12.75 Black Sicilian 89c for the \$1 White Duck Skirts, Skirts, 6 yards wide. Try on one of these skirts and let the big triplicate

> \$13.50 for the \$16 Satin Skirts, plain and brocaded. \$16 is just \$4 less than these best skirts have sold for elsewhere.

> in pink, blue or green. Why not possess various colors of drop skirts, they cost but little?

\$3.98 for the \$4.50 Pure Irish Linen Skirts, with apron front trim-\$4.98 for the \$5.50 Irish Linen

Skirts. These are made of the very best Irish Linen and are six yards \$3.50 to \$6.98 instead of \$4 to

and Sun Proof Serge Skirts, lined \$7.98 for White Pique Skirts. All throughout with superior quality are equally stylish in cut. The quallity of pique regulates the price.

The Best Shirt Waists.

Have you ever heard of an ill-fitting Shirt Waist coming from the Palais Royal? And have you ever seen inferior quality waists here? Has a stout lady or a frail miss ever experienced difficulty in finding the proper fitting waists here? Is not the quantity and variety of waists at the Palais Royal as great as in any other three establishments in Washington? These questions answered you will better appreciate the final reductions in prices prior to the stock-taking.

Best of Best.

Third floor for the best of best Shirt Waists, where is every latest style in all the wanted colors and sizes-\$1.48 to \$4.98 instead of \$1.98 to \$6.50 each.

Laundered Waists.

The scarce White Swiss Waists, the pure linen Grass Cloth Waists, the art shades and designs in English Madras and French Zephyr Waists, the only stock of Mourning Waists; with attached and detachled this season by the reckless \ able collar and cuffs of white linen or

Soft Waists.

Those who cannot comfortably wear the waists with laundered collar will revel in this matchless stock of Soft Waists.

Reduced to 84c. 84c is the stock-taking sale price

of the \$1.35 and \$1.48 Dimity and Lawn Waists, in black, pink, blue and black and white effects. Made with voke back, full front, crush collar, bishop sleeves.

Reduced to \$1.24.

Waists, among which are charmingly beautiful effects in figured and striped dimities and lawns. And see the Grass Linen Waists with polka

Reduced to \$2.68.

Waists with embroidery trimming. | choice.

Broken Lots.

Broken lots are brought down to the first floor bargain tables each morning. You'll find all sizes in one style or another-and note the saving to you in cost.

At 40C Each.

There'll be over two hundred Laundered Waists on this table Monday morning. Stout ladies will find no trouble in being fitted-and 49 cents will buy the erstwhile \$1.48 garment.

At 68C Each.

A table containing about one hundred Waists. Misses' sizes in the lot. The former price is marked on the collar hand of each. Some were \$1.48, none were less than 98c.

At OSC Each.

98c for Plain and Fancy Grass Linen Waists, Beautiful Dimity Waists in mourning effects, English Madras Waists in the new blue shade. Here, too, are the scarce G. \$1.24 for the \$1.75 and \$1.98 pinks, greens and lavenders. None were less than \$1.48, some were \$1.75 and \$1.98.

At \$1.30 Each.

Not all sizes in each style or the price would not be \$1.39. But there \$2.68 for the \$2.98 and \$3.68 will be nearly a hundred of this French Dimity Waists, with lace High-grade, High-cost Waists here trimming, and pure Grass Linen | Monday morning, at only \$1.39 for

Women's Bicycling Costumes.

20 per cent discount-one-fifth off the price marked on the costume selected here on Monday. And you'll find the best stock in town on this third floor of the Palais Royal.

"Luey" Costumes.

Prices range from \$4.98 to \$27 for \$5.98 to \$17 for Cloth Costumes Grass Linen, Irish Linen, Crash and that have been and will be much ad-Cloth Costumes, consisting of jacket, mired. Every convenience for tryskirt and leggins.

"Lenox" Costumes.

ing on, with use of bicycle.

Those Ribbons Are Here.

We advertised that 1,000 pieces-10,000 yards-of new Ribbons were to be here this morning. They did not arrive until 10 o'clockbut they are here. White, black and every wanted shade. Best quality, and only 19c yard for 31-inch and 25c yard for 41-inch widths.

C. E. Ribbons.

The tri-color ribbons, combining red, white and blue, the ribbons worn by the Christian Endeavorers and their Washington guests; the ribbons, too, for the glorious "Fourth." Inches..... 1 1 11

Best Flowers.

Best French flowers are too highpriced to sell in great quantities. We have great quantities. 15c bunch on Monday instead of 25c, 39c, 48c, 59c, 68c. At 15c bunch for Monday only. We'll not have too many on Tues-

Per yard......5c 7c 15c. day. Pure Linen Handkerchiefs for 13c.

Never offered such values before-never could. Here are ladies' sheer and warranted all pure linen Handkerchiefs. with hand embroidery; and others of pure linen, with hand drawn work borders; others of pure linen with hand-made initial in corner; still others of pure linen with various widths of plain hemstitched borders.

5C

For 121/2 Handkerchiefs.

Nearly 100 dozen of them will be on first floor bargain table Mon- and pure linen handkerchiefs, with day morning-to right of G street various widths of hemstitched borentrance. At retail, not wholesale- ders. 25c quality for 18c each, or not more than one dozen to each three for 50c. On counter to left of

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The men's and ladies' plain white G street entrance.

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we offer our magniticent line of Imported Leather Pocket Books, Card Cases, Combination Cases Co. is colored plush, morocco, snakes de, seal, kangaroo, etc., at a uniform discount of 25 per cent.

week only, we offer a uniform discount of 10 per cest on all Diamonds and Watches, of which we carry one of the finest stocks in Washington, and pre-viously sold at the lowest prices—now 10

On Credit=

On \$25 worth-\$5 down, \$1 week.

credit system!

On \$100 worth-\$20 down, \$2 week. Money refunded if goods are not as rep-

On \$50 worth—\$10 down, \$1.25 week. On \$75 worth—\$15 down, \$1.50 week.

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Come, in and get acquainted!

300 pounds of Bread to 196 pounds of Flour.

The Glorious 4th of July

-will be here one week from today. Whether you go on a picnic or stay at home, your Biscuits and Cake should be particularly fine.

Cream Blend Flour

-NEVER FAILS to make the choicest Bread, Rolls, Biscuits, Cake and Pastry-and MORE OF IT than any other. It yields 300 1-lb. loaves of Bread to the barrel-or nearly 1 MORE than other brands. TYOUR GROCER will supply you if you specify "Cream Blend" and take no

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Your church and Sugar school will doubt-less entertain the visitors. Light refreshments will be served. Let us serve the CREAM and ICES. We make a SPECIAL REDUCTION from our usual prices to churches and Sunday schools, lodges and charitable organizations.

17 19 flavors of Copain every day. Fussell's lee ris 1427 N. Y. Ave The Stardard since 1851.

Closed All Day July 4. Only 15c. Bottle.

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Brown Bread. The best bread baked to eat in warm weather. It's appetizing and delicious, yet easily digested. Always good, whether hot from the oven, cold, or toasted. We alone make the real Boston Brown Bread. Sent fresh any time. 5, 10 and 15c. a loaf.

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"Pride" Flour Won't Disappoint.

In the hands of an experienced cook, "Pride" Flour makes the whitest and lightest of Bread, Rolls, --- Cekes and Pastry. Not once-not - often-but on every occasion, "Pride" - Flour will give the best results. It - never disappoints, because it's a thoroughly good flour.

Made especially for us. That's why we can recommend it BRYAN'S, 1413 N.Y. Ave. je27-a, t, th, 28

Will you "live in a trunk" any time this summer? Perhaps yours won't stand another season's banging about. A new one is very easy to buy now-\$5.75 for as good and strong a one as you could want. How about a dress suit case for the summer jaunts away from the hot city? \$3.50 for the ones which were \$4.50.

of modern dentistry is perfectly and practiced here with only BEST RESULTS. A force of competent specialists and every facility for good works greets you at

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Dye them a beautiful red, blue or black. The popular shades—fast colors. We clean Bicycle Sults, properly. Wagon calls.

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THE SOCIAL WORLD

Gayer at Home Than Anywhere

Where the Cabinet Families Wil Find Recreation.

OTHER SUMMER NEWS

The weather has been just right for that section of the polite world which for various reasons are still in tow. The wail from the seaside resorts has aiready and the frequent rains. The galeties are as yet of the most informal character at the sea, or on the mountain side, and nothing particularly startling is expected till half of next month is past. In fact, this country cannot settle down to anything until after the Chicago convention, and the two candidates on each ticket begin their summering at the various resorts, where they are expected.

If Mr. and Mrs. McKinley and Mr. and Mrs. Hobart manage to put in an appearwhich, according to the veracious chronclers, they have always been in the habit of going and will, therefore, necessarily go again, the success of these favored spots is

dings has been exceedingly interesting. The nuptial events of Wednesday would make a readable string of romances if the person of the statistical turn of mind would not keep interfering with the number of yards of satin and tulle, ribbons and other garnituse. ture, which entered so largely into the out-side of these events

the way of engagements, not all of which are given to the public, nor will they be, either, until the very eve of the wedding announcement. There are few large weddings booked for the next three months, but the autumn list will be of an important the rester and will helpede as leading earlier. character, and will include as leading cards some international alliances. There will be tremendous disappointment in society if the marriage of Miss Louise Bonaparte and Count de Moltke should not take place here. So far no news has arrived of the date of the ceremonious event, but the probabilities are strong that the fair bride, who is so much attached to her Washington friends, would prefer their presence on such an auspicious occasion to even her titled acquaintances of the Faubourg St. Germaine, and there is no doubt but that as a spectacle the wedding will be well

Excepting those of the cabinet families who have permanent summer abodes, there who have permanent summer abodes, there is very little planned for the next three months in the way of outings. Secretary and Mrs. Carlisle, who are better used to Washington summers than almost any of the others, will have a visit next week from their son, Mr. Wm. K. Carlisle, and family, and later on in all probability they will take a trip somewhere together. Then Secretary and Mrs. Carlisle have their usumake. Miss Morton is also expecting to stay here rather later than usual. Miss Herbert will probably accompany the Secretary when he starts on a Dolphin trip, and will enjoy a great deal of the gay seasen at Newport and vicinity.

Mrs. and the Misses Harmon made a little trip out to Cincinnati first and then went to Bryn Mawr, Pa. Their lengthiest summer stay will be on the Jersey coast, Secretary Lamont's family have a de-

lightful home at Seabright in the Tuck cottage, a cozy structure, which spreads over a great deal of ground. There is a beautiful beach and a fine road following it for n.lles. The Rumson road, on which the Lamont home is situated, has a stretch of seven miles, bordered on each side by fine residences, surrounded by lovely gar dens and parks. Along with the delights of the ocean scenery, there is back of it a picturesque and shady country.

The last Tuesday in June will be marked by some interesting weddings. At 11 o'clock at St. Matthew's, Miss Florence Shipman and Mr. Frederick Clarke Lawyer will be married by Rev. Paul Rennolds, at a nuptial mass. At 12 the same day, Miss Agnes Sidney Bartlett and Mr. C. C. Bryan will be married at the New York Avenue Church. Tuesday evening at Calvary Baptist Church, Miss Belle Jenvey and Mr. George Gordon Abrams will be married. Miss Helen Rowe will be married. Miss Helen Rowe will be maid of honor, Mr. Elmer Shane the best man and the ushers will be Mr. Elmo Jasper, Mr. Frank Brown, Mr. M. M. Brown, Mr. Elsworth Buck, Mr. George Green and Mr. Elmer Phelps.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry May have left town The last Tuesday in June will be marked

Mr. and Mrs. Henry May have left town for the summer. Senator Chandler and family, Mrs. Hale and Miss Kate Chandler are now at Waterloo, N. H., their summer home. Later on in the season they will go to Little Boar's Head.

Mrs. U. S. Grant and Mrs. Sartoris will summer at Lake George. Mr. and Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont are expected upon their arrival in this country to go direct to Belcourt, their Newport place. The backelor home has been re-modeled, and while it is hardly as commodious as the Vanderbilt Marble House, it contains a great deal of room and enough to meet the requirements of Mr. and Mrs. Belmont. The portion of the menagerie which Mr. Belmont imported from India, quartered at the villa stable, has been re-

moved to Grey Craig, Middletown. Dr. and Mrs. Goldsborough will summer at Oakland. Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Willard left Thursday for their summer home at Nan-

Mme. Covarrublas and her three children will leave the city today to spend some time in New York state. In the middle of July the family will sail for Europe to spend the remainder of the summer in

Mrs. Lucy Underwood McCann, who has been for two weeks the guest of Senator and Mrs. Stewart, will leave in a few days for her home in California. The Colombian charge d'affaires and Mme. Rengifo will spend the summer at Long Branch, where they will go next

Dr. Busey and family are at Narragansett for the summer. Mrs. Samuel A. Drury with her baby has gene to the "Wetherill," Atlantic City, for two weeks. She was accompanied by her sisters, Misses Amelia and Florence Plunk-ett of Baltimore, Md.

The engagement of Miss Martha A.

Lester of Mississippi to Mr. Henry Ellinger Lineaweaver of Pittsburg is announced. The marriage will take place at the residence of Mrs. Eugenia Cuthbert, 1718 Corcoran street, Thursday, July 2. There will be no formal invitations. Miss Maud Cumberland of South Washington is spending her vacation in New York, with her sister, Mrs. A. W. Meloling. While there she will also visit the Delaware Water Gap and numerous other re-sorts, and does not expect to return before the latter part of September.

The wife and daughters of Commander Eugene W. Watson are at Mrs. Claude Hardy's cottage, Ocean City, Md. Miss Condit-Smith and Miss Mary Condit-Smith will spend the summer with their sister, Mrs. Leonard Wood, at Vineyard Haven, where they have taken a cottage for

Miss Bessie Minetree, 1736 P street northwest, is visiting friends in southern Virgicia, with Mrs. Minetree and Miss Minetree. Later she will go to Atlantic City. A brilliant reception was tendered to Mr. W. S. Eastwood and bride last evening at the residence of Mrs. A. J. Crane, 1006 K street northwest. Mr. Eastwood is the son of A. W. Eastwood of West Point, Miss Lillan Johnson, daughter of Mr. J.

Miss Lilian Johnson, daugnter of Mr. J.
J. Johnson, and Mr. R. F. Keister were
married last evening at Trinity Church by
Father Scanlon. Miss Katie Johnson, sister
of the bride, was bridesmaid, and Mr. Harry Blandy was best man. Among those
who witnessed the ceremony were Mr. M.
J. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. T. Robertson, Mr. F.

Reynolds, Mr. H. Hanger, Mrs. Keister, Mr. H. Keister, Mr. and Mrs. W. Keister, Mr. J. Keister and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Shepia, Mrs. H. Johnson, Mrs. R. Roberts and Miss Ella, Flora and Julia Roberts, Mrs. Popkins and daughter, Mrs. Pore and sister, Misses Lu and Rose Rose, Misses L. and F. Galaher, Miss Mary Gamble, Miss E. Peters, Mr. C. Brant, Mr. H. Blandie and Mrs. Brown.

The marriage of Dr. Charles Francis Adams of New York and Miss May Gaston Smith of this city took place at Trinity P. E. Church Thursday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Rich. The bride is the daughter of the late Gaston D. Smith of New York and sister of Mr. Theodore Smith of this city. The bride wore a gown of fawn-colored slik, brocaded in a light shade of heliotrope and elaborately trimmed with lace. After a reception given only to the immediate relatives and friends of the family at the residence of Mr. Theodore Smith, the bridal couple left for Norfolk, from which place they sailed on Friday for Halifax by way of Boston. They will be at home after July 15, at 143 West 84th street, New York.

Andrew B. Graham and family are locat-The marriage of Dr. Charles Francis

Andrew B. Graham and family are locat ed at their country seat, "Montrose Place," Virginia, for the summer.

will arrive in New York by the next French steamer. They have been abroad several months, and Miss Barbour, having been the guest of friends in the Faubourg St. Germaine, participated in all the leading events of the gay season which has just

Among the Washingtonians registered at the Cordova, Atlantic City, are Assistant Treasurer Meline and wife, Capt. Charles H. Randall, Dr. William Norack, Frank Bryam, U. S. R. C. S., and Commander James Leary and family of the navy. Dr. M. D. Peck and wife left last evening

for Cortland, N. Y., to attend the funeral of his mo her, who died suddenly of paraly-sis, on Friday morning, at the age of ninety years. Mrs. Robert Armour and her sons, Rob and Will, are spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. F. C. Cate, at Peru, near Lake Champlain, New York.

Miss Carrie Creney, daughter of Mr. W. T. Creney, and Mr. Joseph F. Shepherd of Hagerstown, Md., were married at the family residence, Portner place, on Wed-nesday evening. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. Geo. Bacon of Hawas performed by Rev. Geo. Bacon of Hagerstown, assisted by Rev. E. O. Eldridge. The bride, who was attended by her sister, Miss Bessle Creney, and niece, Miss Mamie Boucher, was becomingly attired in a traveling gown of gray cloth, with hat to match, and carried bride roses. After re-ceiving the congratulations of a few inti-mate friends and relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd left for a short trip before set-Shepherd left for a short trip before set-tling down in their future home at Hagers

Miss Marian Gawler is visiting friends near Round Hill. Va. Mrs. Clements and daughters, formerly of

1418 9th street, are located at 1322 Corcoran Miss Georgia L. Jeffrey and Miss Anrie Elise Wing sailed from New York today on the Umbria for an extended trip through go on the continent. They will return early in September.

Pa., and Miss Blanche Ash were married in Pittsburg recently. Mr. Blocker was for-merly a resident of Washington and a member of the National Rifles. Capt. J. J. Evans, ex-state treasurer of Mississippi, and daughter, are at the Met-repolitan Hotel.

Miss Burbage has given up her contemplated European trip and will leave next week for Bar Harbor, where she will re-main until the end of September. Mrs. A. Ella Wilson, mother of Mrs. J

D. King of Capitol Hill, started for Helena, Mont., 1rst Monday, where she will spend the summer with her son, Har-ry O. Wilson. The marriage of Mr. Frederick Clarke Lawyer and Miss Florence Shipman will take place Tuesday. June 30, at 11 o'clock at St. Matthew's Church, Rhode Island avenue near 18th street.

Mr. Howard Beall and family are at

AMUSEMENTS. New National Theater .- "The Private Secretary" will be the attraction at the New National Theater next week. Kernan's Lyceum Theater .- A burlesque on the "Mikado" is the bill to be pre-

sented next week by the Lyceum Stock Company at Kernan's, produced by Mr. John Grieves, under the title of "Yum Yum's Mash." It is promised that it will be the lest of the series of burlesques. The special features of the performance will be a grand oriental bailet, the Japanese doll dance and a new series of sensational living pictures. The vaudeville portion of the program to be given in the garden will include Miss Minnie Cline, the charming vocalist; Miss Lottle Rogers, singing a number of coster songs; Fanchette and D'Alma, the sensational novelty dancers; Venus; Mile. Nadine Furere, the Parisian beauty; Ada Downie and Maude Harris, and the Original Brilliant Quartet. There will be matinees Tuesday, Thursday and

Saturday. Columbia Musical Parlors.—Improve-ment is the watchword of the Columbia Phonograph Company. By the middle of next week the popular parlors at 919 Pennsylvania avenue will be completely reequipped with the new automatic slot machines, which are vastly superior to the graphophones they are displacing. With these new machines and a splendidly se-lected collection of charming records the coming week should see an immense in-crease in the already large daily attendcrease in the already large daily attendance. Admission is free, and the modest fee of five cents pays for any one record. Among the favorite selections heard on the graphophones last week the song, "By the Sad Sea Waves," easily took the lead, while "Dixie," by Glimore's Band, and "America's National Anthem," composed by Treginal and Trainer, received a big share of attention. Don't fall to try the new machines next week.

new machines next week. UNION VETERAN LEGION.

Enjoyable Entertainment by the Ladies' Auxiliary Last Night. A delightful entertainment, under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Union Veteran Legion, was given last evening at the National Capital Bank, Pennsylvania avenue southeast. The evening was opened with the reading of the

which "America" was sung. A pleasing program was rendered by the following talent, who contributed no small part to the evening's enjoyment: Vocal solo, by Miss Nichelson; recitation, by Mrs. Naylor; vocal solo, Dr. Barnes; recitation, Mrs. Johnson, and patriotic songs by the chorus, at the conclusion of which refresh-

history of the organization, by its secre-

tary, Mrs. Clynde Warner Ford, after

The organization of an order, known as Auxiliary, No. 32, of the "Ladies of the Union Veteran Legion," in this city is of such recent date that but few know of its existence. It was organized the 3d of last January, is still young, but active, and has a good-sized fund in its treasury. Next October, when the annual encampment of the veterans and annual convention of the ladies will be held here, the Union Vet-

the ladies will be held here, the Union Veteran Legion of this city will have cause to be proud of its auxiliary.

The corps of officers are: Mrs. Celynda Werner Ford, president; Mrs. Addie H. Feathers, senior vice president; Mrs. Glendora H. Kidd, junior vice president; Mrs. Hellen L. Norton, chaplain; Miss Edith L. Shaw, secretary; Mrs. Tena Dunn, treasurer; Miss Celynda Ford, conductress; Mrs. Mary L. Austin, guard, and Mrs. Anna E. Kearns, color-bearer.

Mary L. Austin, guard, and Mrs. Anna E. Kearns, color-bearer.

Its membership is composed of the mothers, wives, widows, sisters and daughters of sailors, soldiers and marines of the Union aimy and navy who enlisted prior to July 1, 1863, and who served at least two years, unless discharged for gunshot wound received in service. Army nurses who have served two years are eligible; also the married widow and half-sister of a veteran.

Harriet Taylor Upton writes to The Evan

MOTHERLESS INSTITUTIONS. Them That Need the Minis-

ng Star: "In most states in this Union wo men cannot be appointed trustees of public institutions, because such trustees must be electors. There have been men who kept house for themselves or had only men servants in their bachelor quarters, and yet neither they nor their friends ever though of these houses or flats as homes; men have kept house, but they never have made homes. Women are the home-makers and home-keepers. This characteristic of woman is just as important in the state as in the family. Men would think it a grave error if no one but women served on the board of trustees of soldiers' homes, if only women were physicians in and superintendents of such homes. The writer smiles as she imagines what a furor would be created if all public institutions should suddenly be taken out of men's hands and put into women's. No woman would want such a thing to harven

"The writer believes that all public institutions, schools, libraries, lunatic asylums, soldiers' homes, etc., should have women trustees, directors or whatever the term may be, for such officers, but she is a little more radical than many women. However, she cannot see how any woman can cease from making efforts to have wo-men trustees on boards of all public instimen trustees on boards of all public institutions where women and children live,
whether it is a lunatic asylum or a children's
home. A most pitiable sight is a number
of motherless children, whose father alone
is trying to plan for their future. Yet just
such a man, who knows that some woman
must help him out with his family cares,
does not seem to think that the principle
applies as well to the state.

"In many states women have besieged
legislatures until boards of visitors have
been appointed. These boards, however,
have neither responsibility nor authority.
They visit the institutions when they are
expected, and must report or make sug-

expected, and must report or make suggestions in writing to the trustees. The trustees need take no notice of such report. They occupy about such a position as a formal caller would to the motheriess family above mortified.

as a formal caller would to the motherless family above mentioned. Such a caller might be sympathetic and interested, but her help would be of little value because of the relation she bore to the family. The writer doubts if a board of visitors does any good except to accustom men to seeing women about such institutions and to accustom women to serve on such boards. The time is surely coming when women and men will serve together as trustees; then will all the details of the home be understood by all the members of the board. Then will woman's tenderness, her nother-heart be felt, then will many unfortunate women and children be happier and healthier. Then will the state find that the small economies which women practice in the home will be restained. the small economies which women practice in the home will be practiced in the state."

THE PAPER MUST PLEAD.

Demurrer Overruled in a Case Against a Local Journal Judge Bradley today overruled the de nurrer filed by the defendant in the suit for \$20,000 damages instituted by Arthur Carr against the Washington Times Company, giving the defendant company twenty days in which to plead.

Mr. Carr is a justice of the peace in Prince George's county, Md., and he charges that several months ago the Times published an article in which, he claims, he was charged with misconduct in office and with standing in with certain alleged gambiers in his county.

DROWNED AT BENNING BRIDGE.

Harry Richardson Falls Overboard in an Epileptic Fit. Harry Richardson, an eighteen-year-old colored boy, who lived at 607 10th street northeast, was drowned in the Eastern branch yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock. He was fishing from one of the piers of the Benning bridge, when he was seized with an epileptic fit and fell into the water beneath. He was drowned before assistance could reach him. The crew of the police boat Joe Blackburn dragged for the body and recovered it an hour after the d it an hour after the acci dent, only a short distance from the bridge.

MARRIED HOPKINS—SMITH. On Wednesday, June 3, 1896, at the parsonage of St. Peter's Church, by the Rev. Father O'Brien, Mr. HARRY A, HOPKINS of Philadelphia to Miss LOTTRE M. SMITH, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. G.

RANGUM—ANDRE. In Baltimore, Md., by Rev. Thomas Atkinson, rector of St. Barnabas' Church, June 22, 1896, ALBERT I. MANGUM to ROSA E. ANDRE, both of Washington,

AULDRIDGE. The remains of the late THOMAS AULDRIDGE, beloved husband of Sarah C. Audridge, who died May 24 1896, will be re-moved from the vault and buried at Congres-sional cemetery Monday evening, June 29, 1896, at 3 o'clock.

DIED.

FROWN. On Saturday, June 27, 1896, at 8:29 a.m., MARY WHITE, infant of Harry B. and Mary Alice Brown (nee McChesney), aged two months and twenty-seven days.

Funeral services to be held at parents' residence, 1545 Columbia street northwest, Monday, June 26, at 11 a.m. Relatives and friends respectfully invited to attend. BURRELL. On Saturday, June 27, 1896, at 3 a.m., TURNER BURRELL, aged eight mouths, be-loved son of George and Blanche Burrell. Funeral Monday, June 29, at 10 a.m. Stevens avenue, Hillsdale, D. C.

FORD. On Thursday, June 25, 1896, at her residence, 2804 Dumbarton avenue, MARY A. FORD, beloved sister of Annie C. Clarse, in the seventieth year of her ege.

Funeral from her late residence Sunday at 1:30.

Services at Trinity Outbolic Church. (New York papers please copy.)

HAUSLEIN. On Friday, June 26, 1896, at 2 o'clock p.m., GERTRUDE A., widow of the late Anton Hauslein, aged seventy-six years.

Funeral from her late residence, No. 933 1st street northeast, on Monday, June 29, at 9 o'clock a.m. Regulem mass at St. Mary's Church at 9:30, Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend. HAYRE. On Friday, June 26, 1896, at 8 o'clock a.m. LOUISA HAYRE, beloved wife of J. J.

A.m., LOUISA HAYRE, beloved wife of J.,
Hayre, aged forty-one years.
Dearest wife, thou hast left us,
And thy loss we deeply feel;
But 'tis God that hath bereft us—
He can all our sorrows heal.
BY HER HUSBAND AND CHILDREN Funeral on Sunday, the 28th, at 2:30 o'clock p.m. from the residence, 231 G street southwest Relatives and friends invited. 2*

McGEE. At Atlantic City, N. J., on Thursday, June 25, 1836, DONALD McGEE, son of W. J. and Anita Newcomb McGee, aged nine montla and fifteen days. PARKER. Suddenly, on the evening of Thursday, June 25, 1896, of heart fallure, CHARLOTTE PAPKER. neral from the Second Baptist Church, 3d street near I, on Monday, June 20. Friends invited.

SULLIVAN. On Frilay, June 26, 1896, at 5:30 p.m., after a short illness, JULIA, beloved wife of Patrick Sollivan.
Funeral on Monday, June 29, at 9 a.m., from her late residence, 140 L street northwest. Relatives and friends invited. WHELAN. At his residence, in Georgetown, on Saturday morning, June 27, 1896, ARTHUR WHELAN, aged twenty-nine years. Interment in Montgomery county, Md. Due notice of funeral.

GIBBONS. In loving remembrance of our dear father, Rev. WILLIAM GIBBONS, who died ten years ago tomorrow, June 28, 1886. Oh, no; not a heart that e'er knew him but mouens Deep, deep o'er the grave, where such giory is shrin'd, O'er a monument fame will preserve 'mong the urns of the wisest, the bravest, the best of mankin By his children,

ALICE, WILLIAM, MINNIE, GEORGIE.

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them to my notice. J. Fairleigh, Platte Cannon, Col. TUTT'S Liver PILLS.